STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  (Caption of Case) In Re:  Amended Project Development Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Approval of Decision to Incur Nuclear Generation Pre-Construction Costs			) BEFORE THE ) PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION ) OF SOUTH CAROLINA ) ) COVER SHEET ) ) DOCKET ) NUMBER: 2011 - 20 - E		
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Gas		Certificate	Petition for R	ulemaking	Response
Railroad		Comments	Petition for Rul	e to Show Cause	Response to Discovery
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## **BEFORE**

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# **SOUTH CAROLINA**

DOCKET NO. 2011-20-E

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PERSONALLY APPEARED before me, Michael A. Lyles, who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Manager, Marketing Communication for Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC; that at his direction and under his supervision the Notice of Hearing ("Notice") attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein has been furnished either by U.S. mail, or by electronic mail to customers who have agreed to receive the Notice by electronic mail, to all applicable customers of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, on or before March 4, 2011.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Michael A. Lyles

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 2011.

Notary Public for North Carolina

My Commission Expires: 4-26-2011

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#### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

## CLERK'S OFFICE

### NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

### DOCKET NO. 2011-20-E

AMENDED PROJECT DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION OF DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF DECISION TO INCUR NUCLEAR GENERATION PRE-CONSTRUCTION COSTS

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ('Duke Energy Carolinas' or 'the Company') has filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ('the Commission') for approval of Duke Energy Carolinas' decision to continue to incur additional pre-construction costs of \$229 million through December 31, 2013, for a total of \$459 million through December 31, 2013, for a total of \$459 million through December 31, 2013, for a total of \$459 million through Service Station. The Application was filed pursuant to \$C. Code Ann. Section \$6.33.225 and the Commission's prior orders in Docket No. 2007-440-E. The Application reveals that Duke Energy Carolinas is seeking Commission approval of the decision to incur all pre-construction costs through December 31, 2013, to ensure that the Lee Nuclear Station remains an option to serve customer needs in the 2021 timeframe.

A copy of the Company's entire Application may be obtained from the Commission at the following address: Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Clerk's Office, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210. Additionally, the Application is available on the Commission's veebsle at <a href="https://www.south.org/normal/burses/south/">https://www.south.org/normal/burses/south/</a> available from Frank R. Elteria, III, Esquire and Bonnie D. Sheaty, Esquire, Robinson McFadden and Moore, PC, 1901 Main Street, Suite 1200, Post Office Box 944, Columbia, South Carolina 29202.

In order for testimony and evidence to be received from all interested parties, a public hearing will be held in the Commission's Hearing Room, Synergy Business Park, Saluda Building, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210 on Monday, May 16, 2011 at 10:30 a.m.

Any person, who wishes to participate in this matter as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before March 18, 2011, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. Please refer to Docket No. 2011-20-5.

Any party who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing concerning these matters should notify, in writing, the Clerk's Office at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff, at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201 and Frank R. Ellarbe, III, Esquire and Bonnie D. Sheaty, Esquire, Robinson McFadden and Moore, PC, 1901 Main Street, Suite 1200, Post Office Box 944, Columbia, South Carolina 29202 on or before March 18, 2011, and Indicate the amount of time required for the presentation. Please refer to Docket No. 2011-20-E.

Any person, who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or participate as a party of record, may do so by notifying the Clerk's Office, in writing, at the address below on or before March 18, 2011. Please refer to Docket No. 2011-20-E.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding MUST present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission in Columbia at 803-896-5100.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina Attn: Clerk's Office Post Office Drawer 11649 Columbia, South Carolina, 29211

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